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SUBJECT: APPRAISAL OF WORLD GRAIN SITUATION

REF: FAO DIRECTOR-GENERAL BOERMA'S LETTER OF AUG 6

TO SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE BUTZ

1. FAO DEPUTY DIRECTOR-GENERAL ROY JACKSON IS PRESSING FOR U.S. REACTION TO REFERENCE LETTER, INVITING COMMENT ON ITS ENCLOSED FAO ASSESSMENT OF WORLD GRAIN SITUATION AS OF JULY 31, 1975.
2. FAO ASSESSMENT PRE-DATES AUGUST 11 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE ANNOUNCEMENTS CONCERNING U.S. CROP PROSPECTS. REFERENCE TO THESE U.S. ANNOUNCEMENTS WOULD SEEM APPROPRIATE.
3. IN ADDITION, COMMENT ON FAO'S ASSESSMENT WOULD BE DESIRABLE, SINCE FAO DIRECTOR-GENERAL SAID IN REFERENCE LETTER THAT HE IS BEING PRESSED TO ISSUE A STATEMENT. INVITATION FOR U.S. COMMENTS AFFORDS U.S. OPPORTUNITY NOT ONLY TO AFFECT POSSIBLE FAO ANNOUNCEMENTS, BUT ALSO TO GIVE FAO DIRECTOR-GENERAL GUIDANCE FOR SUBSTANTIVE CONFERENCE ON THESE MATTERS DURING AUTUMN.
4. WOULD APPRECIATE RESPONSE BY SEPTEMBER 2 SINCE DR. BOERMA WILL BE RETURNING AT THAT TIME. VOLPE

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